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Population Highlights ◆ First Quarter 2012

Estimates released today are based on 2006 Census counts adjusted for census net undercoverage and incompletely enumerated Indian reserves to which is added the estimated demographic growth for the period from May 16, 2006, to March 31, 2012. These estimates are not to be confused with the 2011 Census population counts that were released on February 8, 2012.

Steady population in the first quarter

BC's population was estimated at 4,606,451 on April 1st, 2012, increasing by one percent compared to the same quarter in 2011. This steady growth persisted throughout 2011, but is almost half of what was witnessed in recent years.

Both Alberta and Saskatchewan continued to ride the wave of growth, while other provinces reported little or no growth in the first quarter of 2012. Population growth in Alberta was pegged at 2.4%, while Quebec (+0.9%) and Ontario (+1.1%) had no change in terms of growth compared to the previous quarter. Nationally, the population grew by 1.1%.

The last twelve months: April 2011 to April 2012

A total of 45,411 persons were added to BC's population over the twelve months ending April 2012. This was mainly fuelled by immigrants from other countries (+36,093), adding to the net international migration (+37,769). In contrast to this international influx, BC observed a net loss (−4,376) with respect to interprovincial migrants last year, dominated by movement to neighbouring Alberta. Natural increase (births minus deaths) added 12,018 persons to BC's population.

Components of BC Population Growth
Apr 1, 2011 to Apr 1, 2012

Population April 1, 2011		**4,561,040**
Interprovincial migration		−4,376
Add interprovincial arrivals	+52,230	
Minus interprovincial departures	−56,606	
International migration		+37,769
Add immigrants	+36,093	
Minus total net emigrants[1]	−7,504	
Add non-permanent residents	+9,180	
Natural increase		+12,018
Add births	+43,847	
Minus deaths	−31,829	
Population April 1, 2012		**4,606,451**

(1) Total net emigrants include emigrants, plus returning emigrants, minus the net change in temporary emigrants.

Source: Statistics Canada

The first quarter of 2012

The first quarter of 2012 was witness to the largest first quarter drop in international migration in over a decade (2000 Q1). This net loss of 2,554 persons was almost entirely offset by natural growth (adding 2,067 persons). International migration (+9,019) continued to contribute greatly to population growth, bouncing back from the first quarter declines in recent years (+26% compared to 2011).

Natural growth (births minus deaths) remained stable, contributing to roughly 25% of the cumulative quarterly change (+2,067).

Components of BC Population Growth
Jan 1, 2012 to Apr 1, 2012

Population January 1, 2012		**4,597,919**
Interprovincial migration		−2,554
Add interprovincial arrivals	+11,062	
Minus interprovincial departures	−13,616	
International migration		+9,019
Add immigrants	+8,644	
Minus total net emigrants[1]	−1,426	
Add non-permanent residents	+1,801	
Natural increase		+2,067
Add births	+10,390	
Minus deaths	−8,323	
Population April 1, 2012		**4,606,451**

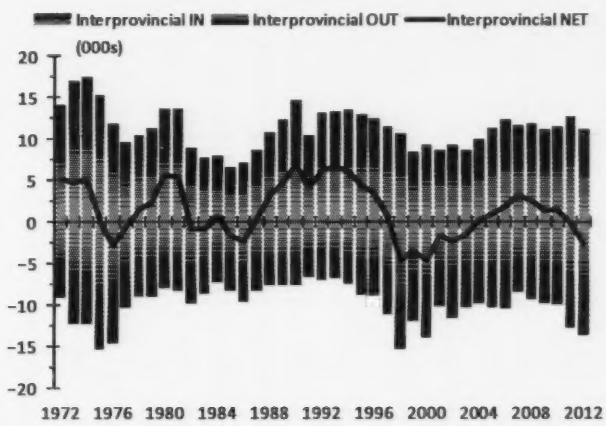
(1) Total net emigrants include emigrants, plus returning emigrants, minus the net change in temporary emigrants.

Source: Statistics Canada

First quarter interprovincial migration

While more than 11,000 persons entered BC from within Canada, in excess of 13,000 left to reside in another province, leading to the 2,554 drop in interprovincial migration. This is significant since first quarter figures typically show an influx, averaging around 1,750 in the previous five years.

1st Quarter Interprovincial Migration, BC



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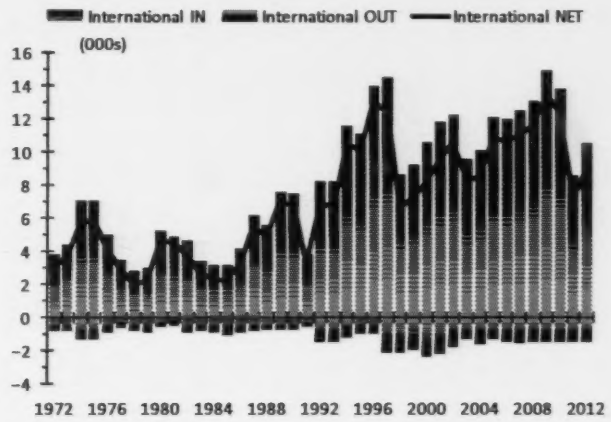
As anticipated this out-migration benefitted Alberta to the total of 2,651 persons. In fact, while all other provinces registered a decline in interprovincial migration, Alberta was the only province that showed a rise (+13,396 persons).

The lingering effects of the most recent recession, which started around 2008, may still have contributed to the recent drop. However, this is still above the lowest net first quarter level experienced in 2000 (−4,599).

First quarter international migration

Immigrants from international destinations usually are the corner stone for growth from foreigners within BC. During the first quarter of 2011, immigrant landings in BC bounced back (+18%), adding almost 9,000 new residents to the province.

1st Quarter International Migration, BC



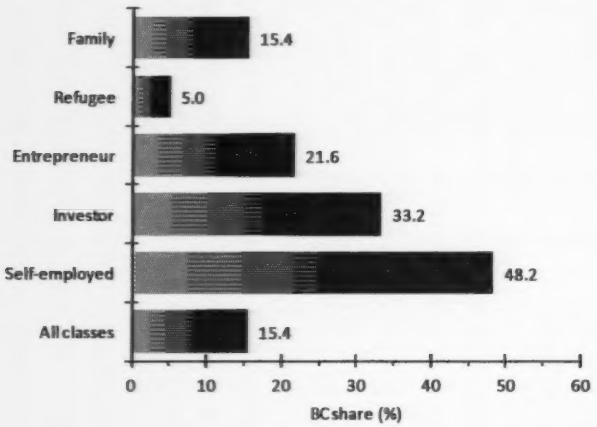
Source: Statistics Canada

Citizenship and Immigration Canada estimates that roughly three in every four immigrants (71%) came from Asia. Most of these originally lived in Mainland China (34%), although India also stands out as a country from which many immigrants originate (20%). Entries from Europe also take up a reasonable share (13%). Regardless of their origin, most immigrants are destined for Vancouver (84%).

Most immigrants arriving in BC are classified under the family (33%) or skilled-worker (21%) class, making up more than half of the entrants. The class of provincial nominees is also very popular, collectively brining in 1,660 immigrants in the first quarter of 2012 — more than double compared to the same quarter in 2011 (+110%).

When compared to other provinces and territories, BC tends to attract a relatively high share of immigrants in the economic and business class and a smaller proportion in the refugee class.

BC's share of Immigration by Class, 1st Quarter 2012



Source: Citizenship and Immigration Canada

BC receives roughly 15% of all immigrants to Canada, while Quebec and Ontario combined hosts more than half of the landings (57%).

Chart: BC Immigration by Area of Last Permanent Residence (Jan - Mar, 2012)
Total landings: 8,507 persons

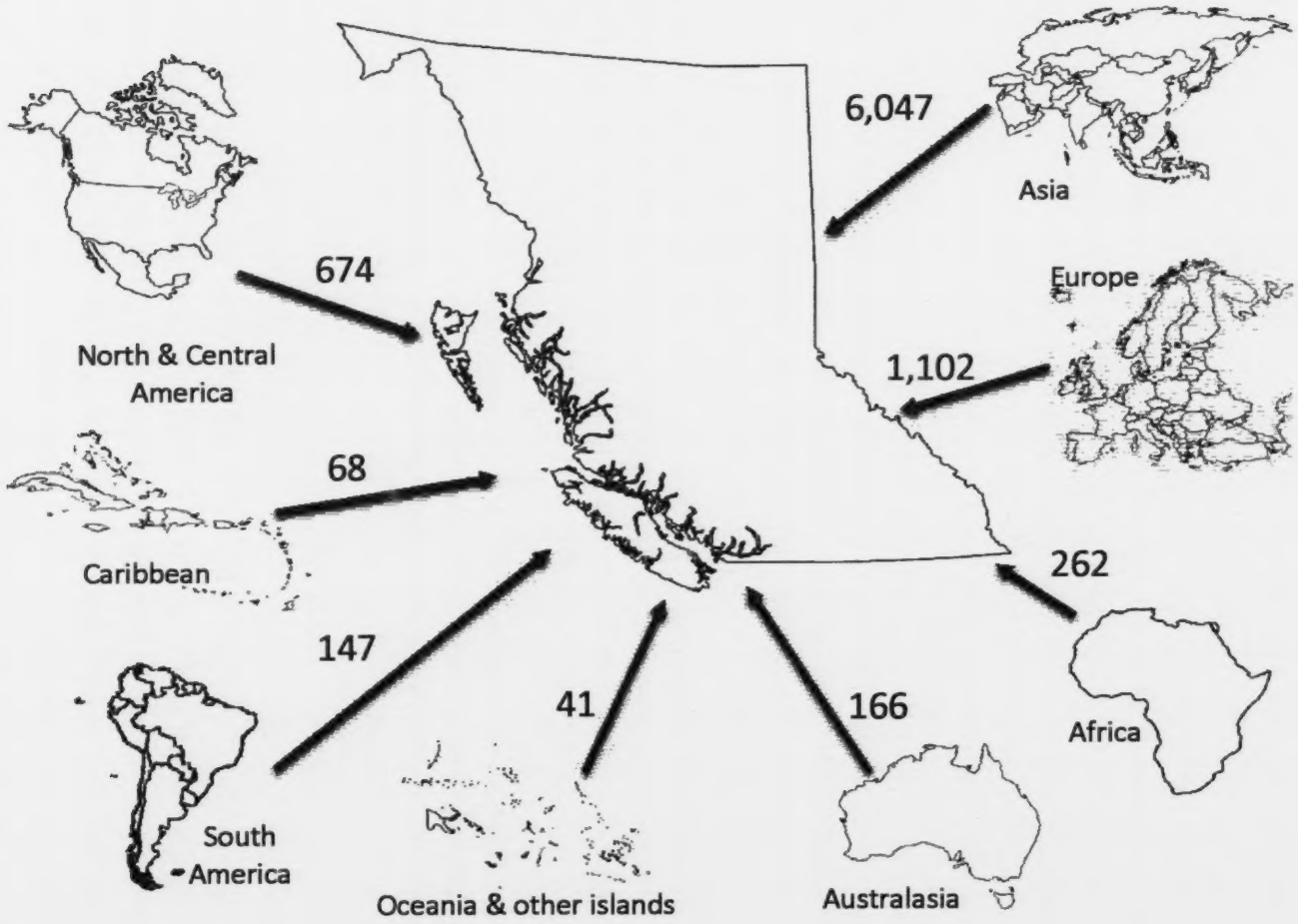


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Table 1: Provincial migration flow (Jan - Mar, 2012)

Origin \ Destination	Nfld	PEI	NS	NB	Que	Ont	Man	Sask	Alta	BC	Yukon	NWT	Nvt
Nfld	—	31	308	115	37	546	76	35	2,765	113	—	35	59
PEI	63	—	182	116	29	274	10	27	153	59	—	—	—
NS	449	211	—	529	88	1,518	171	100	1,846	352	22	69	17
NB	142	136	808	—	381	889	65	54	998	181	—	—	—
Que	134	32	99	387	—	4,302	67	86	947	438	7	6	35
Ont	967	261	1,644	779	2,765	—	968	1,189	7,400	3,037	154	150	132
Man	84	17	73	79	92	1,191	—	574	1,353	658	10	4	—
Sask	49	19	74	31	148	520	542	—	3,192	787	44	25	—
Alta	508	105	647	357	412	3,031	608	2,426	—	5,168	51	156	45
BC	109	32	304	188	465	2,965	699	832	7,819	—	167	36	—
Yukon	—	—	31	—	96	69	—	25	163	126	—	7	—
NWT	24	—	9	53	82	64	8	67	244	131	36	—	49
Nvt	12	—	—	—	30	145	39	7	30	12	—	21	—
In-flow	2,541	844	4,179	2,634	4,625	15,514	3,253	5,422	26,910	11,062	491	509	337
Out-flow	4,120	913	5,372	3,654	6,540	19,446	4,135	5,431	13,514	13,616	517	767	296
Net interprovincial	- 1,579	- 69	- 1,193	- 1,020	- 1,915	- 3,932	- 882	- 9	13,396	- 2,554	- 26	- 258	41
Net international										9,019			
Total net										6,465			

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Table 2: Immigrant Landings to BC (Jan - Mar, 2012)

SOURCE	Vancouver Area	Rest of BC*	Total BC
Europe	863	239	1,102
Africa	193	69	262
Asia	5,279	768	6,047
China-Mainland	1,956	99	2,055
India	1,084	124	1,208
Taiwan	119	14	133
Hong Kong	67	10	77
Australasia	123	43	166
North & Central America	485	189	674
USA	289	136	425
Caribbean	33	35	68
South America	109	38	147
Oceania	27	14	41
All Areas	**7,112**	**1,395**	**8,507**

* "Rest of BC" also includes immigrants with unknown destination. Many might have been destined for Vancouver Area.

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Table 3a: Immigrant Landings by Class
British Columbia

Year/ Quarter	Family	Refugee	Economic class							Other classes	Total
			Skilled worker	Canadian experience	Prov/Terr nominee	Live-in caregiver	Entrepreneur	Investor	Self-employed		
1995	15,310	1,875	18,438	–	–	1,176	3,508	3,037	956	278	44,578
1996	14,284	2,274	24,180	–	–	1,160	4,236	3,446	1,564	877	52,021
1997	12,917	1,996	24,728	–	–	874	3,337	2,259	1,250	482	47,843
1998	11,083	2,041	16,996	–	–	1,275	1,918	1,608	746	306	35,973
1999	10,988	1,896	17,736	–	11	1,338	1,863	1,519	659	111	36,121
2000	10,975	2,574	18,934	–	13	1,070	1,775	1,387	632	68	37,428
2001	11,824	2,200	19,769	–	24	880	1,619	1,696	444	27	38,483
2002	11,405	2,106	15,610	–	209	504	1,192	1,951	526	554	34,057
2003	11,574	1,827	16,234	–	441	758	914	1,760	338	1,383	35,229
2004	10,871	2,367	17,092	–	598	1,083	694	3,221	246	854	37,026
2005	11,726	2,159	21,810	–	789	1,080	872	5,359	289	686	44,770
2006	13,460	1,891	16,688	–	1,924	1,528	866	4,412	322	992	42,083
2007	12,613	1,883	14,793	–	2,522	1,519	585	3,763	213	1,070	38,961
2008	12,424	1,532	16,040	–	3,629	2,546	476	5,867	161	1,317	43,992
2009	12,613	1,634	12,086	385	4,709	2,662	336	5,557	181	1,277	41,440
2010	10,866	1,667	16,661	572	4,900	2,884	234	5,510	116	777	44,187
2011	10,127	1,810	10,031	1,021	4,306	2,458	152	3,861	75	944	34,785
1Q2011	2,098	352	2,359	109	789	599	48	1,065	19	176	7,614
1Q2012	2,791	251	1,793	477	1,660	448	21	843	27	196	8,507

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Table 3b: Immigrant Landings by Class
Canada

Year/ Quarter	Family	Refugee	Economic class							Other classes	Total
			Skilled worker	Canadian experience	Prov/Terr nominee	Live-in caregiver	Entrepreneur	Investor	Self-employed		
1995	77,386	28,093	81,726	–	–	5,457	11,429	5,160	2,854	761	212,866
1996	68,358	28,478	97,912	–	233	4,759	11,915	6,174	4,376	3,866	226,071
1997	59,978	24,308	105,646	–	47	2,730	10,404	5,595	3,927	3,400	216,035
1998	50,896	22,843	81,264	–	–	2,868	6,611	4,541	2,625	2,547	174,195
1999	55,273	24,398	92,493	–	477	3,261	6,154	4,264	2,599	1,031	189,950
2000	60,619	30,092	118,588	–	1,252	2,779	6,187	4,951	2,527	460	227,455
2001	66,794	27,919	137,231	–	1,274	2,627	6,087	6,342	2,156	207	250,637
2002	62,292	25,113	122,730	–	2,127	1,985	4,478	4,636	1,907	3,780	229,048
2003	65,122	25,983	105,224	–	4,418	3,305	2,978	3,695	1,427	9,197	221,349
2004	62,275	32,687	113,450	–	6,248	4,292	2,467	6,099	1,190	7,115	235,823
2005	63,373	35,776	130,239	–	8,047	4,552	2,844	9,615	1,016	6,780	262,242
2006	70,517	32,499	105,942	–	13,336	6,895	3,093	8,031	952	10,375	251,640
2007	66,242	27,954	97,852	–	17,093	6,118	2,157	7,445	579	11,313	236,753
2008	65,581	21,858	103,732	–	22,418	10,511	1,701	10,202	505	10,738	247,246
2009	65,205	22,850	95,955	2,545	30,379	12,455	1,313	10,303	542	10,627	252,174
2010	60,222	24,697	119,359	3,918	36,430	13,911	1,087	11,715	500	8,852	280,691
2011	56,446	27,872	88,786	6,027	38,420	11,247	706	10,586	349	8,309	248,748
1Q2011	12,052	4,499	18,162	629	6,845	3,046	162	2,279	74	1,820	49,568
1Q2012	14,201	5,023	15,544	2,611	10,651	2,153	97	2,537	56	2,273	55,146

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Table 4a: Immigrant Landings by Province
Totals

Year/ Quarter	NFLD	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchawan	Alberta	British Columbia	Territories	Canada
2000	417	189	1,608	758	32,498	133,510	4,635	1,882	14,363	37,428	142	**227,455**
2001	392	135	1,697	798	37,598	148,639	4,591	1,704	16,404	38,483	160	**250,637**
2002	404	108	1,419	705	37,581	133,587	4,615	1,667	14,783	34,057	110	**229,048**
2003	359	154	1,474	666	39,555	119,723	6,503	1,668	15,839	35,229	153	**221,349**
2004	579	310	1,771	795	44,245	125,093	7,426	1,943	16,476	37,026	151	**235,823**
2005	497	330	1,929	1,091	43,315	140,526	8,096	2,119	19,404	44,770	149	**262,242**
2006	508	565	2,586	1,646	44,682	125,891	10,048	2,724	20,716	42,083	163	**251,640**
2007	546	992	2,523	1,643	45,200	111,316	10,954	3,516	20,860	38,961	171	**236,753**
2008	627	1,454	2,651	1,856	45,196	110,877	11,218	4,835	24,201	43,992	237	**247,246**
2009	606	1,759	2,388	1,913	49,489	106,861	13,521	6,890	27,017	41,440	280	**252,174**
2010	714	2,593	2,397	2,125	53,983	118,111	15,808	7,615	32,650	44,187	487	**280,691**
2011	685	1,738	2,136	1,968	51,738	99,458	15,962	8,955	30,963	34,785	322	**248,748**
1Q2011	130	433	470	377	10,122	19,947	3,089	1,418	5,916	7,614	47	**49,568**
1Q2012	151	303	587	566	11,015	20,529	3,251	2,817	7,285	8,507	127	**55,146**

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Table 4b: Immigrant Landings by Province
% of total Canadian immigration

Year/ Quarter	NFLD	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchawan	Alberta	British Columbia	Territories	Canada
2000	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.3	14.3	58.7	2.0	0.8	6.3	16.5	0.1	**100.0**
2001	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.3	15.0	59.3	1.8	0.7	6.5	15.4	0.1	**100.0**
2002	0.2	0.0	0.6	0.3	16.4	58.3	2.0	0.7	6.5	14.9	0.0	**100.0**
2003	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.3	17.9	54.1	2.9	0.8	7.2	15.9	0.1	**100.0**
2004	0.2	0.1	0.8	0.3	18.8	53.0	3.1	0.8	7.0	15.7	0.1	**100.0**
2005	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.4	16.5	53.6	3.1	0.8	7.4	17.1	0.1	**100.0**
2006	0.2	0.2	1.0	0.7	17.8	50.0	4.0	1.1	8.2	16.7	0.1	**100.0**
2007	0.2	0.4	1.1	0.7	19.1	47.0	4.6	1.5	8.8	16.5	0.1	**100.0**
2008	0.3	0.6	1.1	0.8	18.3	44.8	4.5	2.0	9.8	17.8	0.1	**100.0**
2009	0.2	0.7	0.9	0.8	19.6	42.4	5.4	2.7	10.7	16.4	0.1	**100.0**
2010	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.8	19.2	42.1	5.6	2.7	11.6	15.7	0.2	**100.0**
2011	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.8	20.8	40.0	6.4	3.6	12.4	14.0	0.1	**100.0**
1Q2011	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.8	20.4	40.2	6.2	2.9	11.9	15.4	0.1	**100.0**
1Q2012	0.3	0.5	1.1	1.0	20.0	37.2	5.9	5.1	13.2	15.4	0.2	**100.0**

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Table 5: BC Immigrant Landings by Source and Class (Jan - Mar, 2012)

Source	Family	Refugee	Economic class: Skilled worker	Canadian experience	Prov/Terr nominee	Live-in caregiver	Entrepreneur	Investor	Self-employed	Other classes	Total
World Region											
Europe	271	34	221	115	408	–	–	–	–	28	1,102
Africa	73	51	64	7	41	–	–	–	–	17	262
Asia	1,997	127	1,393	246	946	438	–	817	–	70	6,047
Australasia	70	–	–	27	49	–	–	–	–	–	166
N & C America	287	30	62	62	139	–	–	14	12	60	674
Caribbean	21	–	–	–	37	–	–	–	–	–	68
S America	56	–	32	13	26	–	–	–	–	12	147
Oceania & Islands	16	–	–	–	14	–	–	–	–	–	41
Top 20 Countries											
China	602	17	439	122	215	–	–	636	–	17	2,055
India	793	–	242	20	109	8	–	10	–	19	1,208
Philippines	223	–	231	–	275	409	–	–	–	9	1,159
Korea	52	–	116	29	204	–	–	127	–	–	536
USA	209	7	17	44	91	–	–	–	8	41	425
England	68	–	60	35	176	–	–	–	–	–	352
Mexico	55	13	42	17	47	–	–	7	–	16	207
Japan	74	–	31	–	66	–	–	–	–	–	191
Iran	24	10	88	–	–	–	7	–	–	–	137
Taiwan	34	–	46	8	14	–	–	26	–	–	133
Germany	32	–	22	16	34	–	–	–	–	–	115
Australia	48	–	–	21	30	–	–	–	–	–	114
Pakistan	38	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	79
Ireland	–	–	13	–	54	–	–	–	–	–	77
South Africa	9	–	28	–	35	–	–	–	–	–	77
Hong Kong	36	–	7	16	–	–	–	10	–	–	77
United Arab Emirates	–	5	35	–	14	–	–	–	–	–	61
Russia	18	–	21	–	11	–	–	–	–	–	59
Turkey	11	24	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	58
France	13	–	–	7	26	–	–	–	–	–	56
Other	439	166	294	93	249	12	7	5	6	60	1,331
Total	**2,791**	**251**	**1,793**	**477**	**1660**	**448**	**21**	**843**	**27**	**196**	**8,507**

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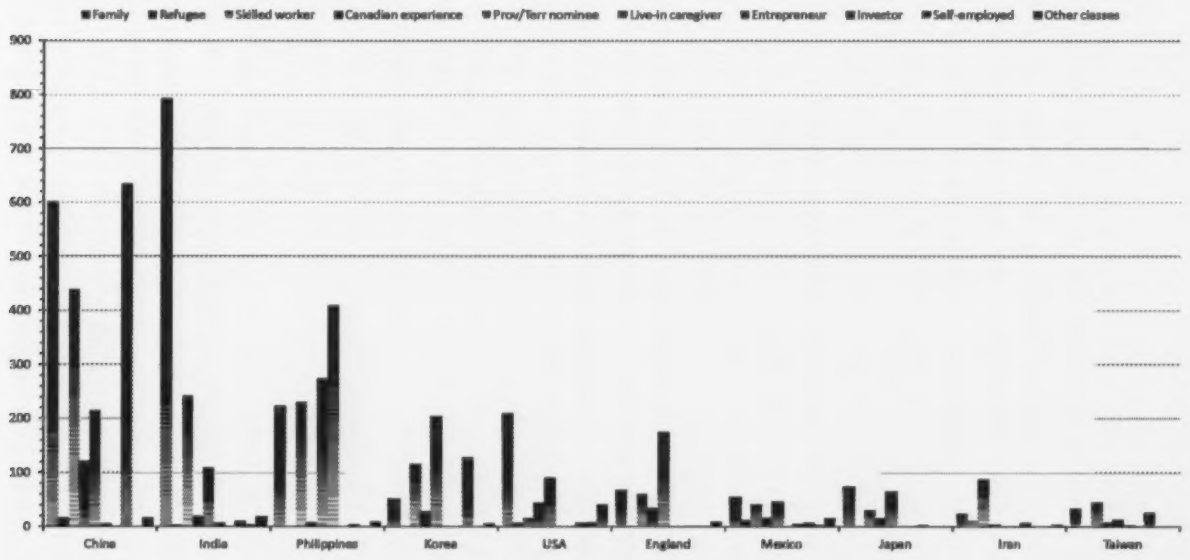

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Table 6: Quarterly components of population change in British Columbia

Year	Quarter	Interprovincial			International						Total net migration	Births	Deaths	Natural increase	Total increase	Population at end of quarter	Annual growth rate (%)
		In	Out	Net	Immigrants	Emigrants	Net NPR	Temporary abroad	Returning emigrants	Net							
1993	1	13,321	6,639	6,682	9,886	1,360	– 1,690	691	571	6,716	13,398	11,087	7,196	3,891	17,289	3,541,936	2.9
1993	2	19,009	10,198	8,811	11,575	1,449	– 1,185	731	829	9,039	17,850	11,959	6,135	5,824	23,674	3,567,772	2.9
1993	3	27,423	13,647	13,776	14,048	2,215	356	962	847	12,074	25,850	11,887	5,949	5,938	31,788	3,601,746	2.8
1993	4	15,474	7,148	8,326	10,460	1,492	– 1,898	778	558	6,850	15,176	11,093	6,484	4,609	19,785	3,623,717	2.9
	Total	75,227	37,632	37,595	45,969	6,516	– 4,417	3,162	2,805	34,679	72,274	46,026	25,764	20,262	92,536		
1994	1	13,417	7,399	6,018	11,790	1,052	– 194	666	518	10,396	16,414	11,195	6,832	4,363	20,777	3,646,632	3.0
1994	2	20,235	10,484	9,751	13,134	1,482	– 208	776	825	11,493	21,244	12,247	6,211	6,036	27,280	3,676,075	3.0
1994	3	25,655	13,216	12,439	15,248	2,340	1,809	1,045	992	14,664	27,103	12,249	6,144	6,105	33,208	3,711,468	3.0
1994	4	15,204	8,963	6,241	8,974	1,324	– 1,244	764	472	6,114	12,355	11,307	6,752	4,555	16,910	3,730,564	2.9
	Total	74,511	40,062	34,449	49,146	6,198	163	3,251	2,807	42,667	77,116	46,998	25,939	21,059	98,175		
1995	1	12,991	8,654	4,337	10,063	882	979	642	554	10,072	14,409	11,226	6,961	4,265	18,674	3,751,377	2.9
1995	2	16,933	10,659	6,274	11,975	1,200	1,011	730	738	11,794	18,068	12,218	6,435	5,783	23,851	3,777,390	2.8
1995	3	21,889	14,530	7,359	12,345	2,427	2,387	1,061	1,128	12,372	19,731	12,386	6,231	6,155	25,886	3,805,461	2.5
1995	4	15,292	9,848	5,444	10,220	1,325	739	761	533	9,406	14,850	10,990	6,748	4,242	19,092	3,826,739	2.6
	Total	67,105	43,691	23,414	44,603	5,834	5,116	3,194	2,953	43,644	67,058	46,820	26,375	20,445	87,503		
1996	1	12,402	8,785	3,617	12,197	856	1,777	632	503	12,989	16,606	11,550	7,210	4,340	20,946	3,849,847	2.6
1996	2	17,376	11,771	5,605	12,966	1,207	567	728	987	12,585	18,190	11,927	6,783	5,144	23,334	3,874,317	2.6
1996	3	20,735	14,894	5,841	14,724	2,610	1,787	1,849	1,349	13,401	19,242	11,783	6,305	5,478	24,720	3,899,256	2.5
1996	4	12,215	9,480	2,735	12,138	1,603	– 941	1,429	477	8,642	11,377	10,878	7,240	3,638	15,015	3,914,490	2.3
	Total	62,728	44,930	17,798	52,025	6,276	3,190	4,638	3,316	47,617	65,415	46,138	27,538	18,600	84,015		
1997	1	11,521	11,031	490	13,329	1,269	1,138	1,289	470	12,379	12,869	10,898	7,415	3,483	16,352	3,931,056	2.1
1997	2	14,961	14,147	814	13,044	1,775	832	1,501	780	11,380	12,194	11,755	6,639	5,116	17,310	3,948,583	1.9
1997	3	18,855	17,771	1,084	12,782	3,193	1,055	1,941	1,080	9,783	10,867	11,421	6,413	5,008	15,875	3,964,677	1.7
1997	4	8,692	9,100	– 408	8,693	1,882	– 1,108	1,455	528	4,776	4,368	10,503	6,945	3,558	7,926	3,972,821	1.5
	Total	54,029	52,049	1,980	47,848	8,119	1,917	6,186	2,858	38,318	40,298	44,577	27,412	17,165	57,463		
1998	1	10,657	15,162	– 4,505	9,149	1,355	– 503	1,260	515	6,546	2,041	10,608	7,773	2,835	4,876	3,977,912	1.2
1998	2	13,320	19,520	– 6,200	9,832	1,760	– 718	1,411	934	6,877	677	11,055	6,747	4,308	4,985	3,983,113	0.9
1998	3	13,872	17,961	– 4,089	9,615	3,486	1,421	2,011	1,117	6,656	2,567	11,094	6,542	4,552	7,119	3,990,451	0.7
1998	4	8,639	11,366	– 2,727	7,394	1,816	– 311	1,411	445	4,301	1,574	10,315	6,916	3,399	4,973	3,995,643	0.6
	Total	46,488	64,009	– 17,521	35,990	8,417	– 111	6,093	3,011	24,380	6,859	43,072	27,978	15,094	21,953		
1999	1	8,515	11,951	– 3,436	8,180	1,296	1,032	1,224	555	7,247	3,811	10,243	7,478	2,765	6,576	4,002,433	0.6
1999	2	12,274	16,506	– 4,232	9,085	1,850	2,043	1,423	996	8,851	4,619	10,935	6,829	4,106	8,725	4,011,375	0.7
1999	3	14,999	17,681	– 2,682	10,175	3,709	2,944	1,946	971	8,435	5,753	10,782	6,528	4,254	10,007	4,021,600	0.8
1999	4	7,781	9,844	– 2,063	8,666	2,133	– 1,431	1,441	450	4,111	2,048	9,979	7,182	2,797	4,845	4,026,664	0.8
	Total	43,569	55,982	– 12,413	36,106	8,988	4,588	6,034	2,972	28,644	16,231	41,939	28,017	13,922	30,153		
2000	1	9,272	13,871	– 4,599	8,610	1,546	1,950	1,253	396	8,157	3,558	10,162	7,282	2,880	6,438	4,033,319	0.8
2000	2	11,413	16,679	– 5,266	9,495	2,092	260	1,428	732	6,967	1,701	10,682	6,688	3,994	5,695	4,039,230	0.7
2000	3	15,001	17,096	– 2,095	10,316	3,517	2,320	2,002	956	8,073	5,978	10,378	6,508	3,870	9,848	4,049,297	0.7
2000	4	8,323	11,146	– 2,823	8,992	1,939	75	1,444	385	6,069	3,246	9,450	6,983	2,467	5,713	4,055,229	0.7
	Total	44,009	58,792	– 14,783	37,413	9,094	4,605	6,127	2,469	29,266	14,483	40,672	27,461	13,211	27,694		
2001	1	8,597	10,134	– 1,537	9,428	1,375	2,402	1,244	385	9,596	8,059	9,941	7,311	2,630	10,689	4,066,132	0.8
2001	2	11,417	13,248	– 1,831	10,807	1,748	2,113	1,376	742	10,538	8,707	10,598	7,013	3,585	12,292	4,076,264	0.9
2001	3	16,029	17,902	– 1,873	10,529	3,730	4,903	1,235	1,040	11,507	9,634	10,444	6,794	3,650	13,284	4,085,114	0.9
2001	4	8,365	10,152	– 1,787	7,720	1,661	227	800	534	6,020	4,233	9,592	7,244	2,348	6,581	4,087,260	0.8
	Total	44,408	51,436	– 7,028	38,484	8,514	9,645	4,655	2,701	37,661	30,633	40,575	28,362	12,213	42,846		
2002	1	9,244	11,516	– 2,272	9,573	1,472	2,705	760	428	10,474	8,202	9,605	7,672	1,933	10,135	4,093,058	0.7
2002	2	13,521	16,145	– 2,624	10,202	1,713	282	811	868	8,828	6,204	10,291	6,989	3,302	9,506	4,098,178	0.5
2002	3	16,089	15,936	153	7,992	2,888	3,702	1,174	1,318	8,950	9,103	10,470	6,854	3,616	12,719	4,106,462	0.5
2002	4	8,925	8,627	298	6,290	1,537	– 437	836	564	4,044	4,342	9,699	7,369	2,330	6,672	4,108,700	0.5
	Total	47,779	52,224	– 4,445	34,057	7,610	6,252	3,581	3,178	32,296	27,851	40,065	28,884	11,181	39,032		

Table 6: Quarterly components of population change in British Columbia

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Year	Quarter	Interprovincial			International						Total net migration	Births	Deaths	Natural increase	Total increase	Population at end of quarter	Annual growth rate (%)
		In	Out	Net	Immigrants	Emigrants	Net NPR	Temporary abroad	Returning emigrants	Net							
2003	1	8,685	10,145	– 1,460	7,954	1,217	1,582	755	716	8,280	6,820	9,813	7,546	2,267	9,087	4,113,449	0.5
2003	2	14,379	14,407	– 28	9,688	1,548	1,386	838	1,046	9,734	9,706	10,552	6,925	3,627	13,333	4,122,396	0.6
2003	3	15,923	13,093	2,830	9,459	2,621	1,365	1,114	1,414	8,503	11,333	10,395	6,972	3,423	14,756	4,132,718	0.6
2003	4	9,295	7,612	1,683	8,132	1,471	665	823	600	7,103	8,786	9,737	7,877	1,860	10,646	4,138,930	0.7
	Total	48,282	45,257	3,025	35,233	6,857	4,998	3,530	3,776	33,620	36,645	40,497	29,320	11,177	47,822		
2004	1	9,984	9,674	310	8,966	1,352	1,114	793	571	8,506	8,816	9,740	7,840	1,900	10,716	4,145,260	0.8
2004	2	15,204	12,162	3,042	10,155	1,673	– 504	875	991	8,094	11,136	10,334	7,174	3,160	14,296	4,155,170	0.8
2004	3	15,109	12,731	2,378	10,362	2,445	2,795	1,168	1,595	11,139	13,517	10,394	7,223	3,171	16,688	4,167,424	0.8
2004	4	10,760	8,705	2,055	7,543	1,197	758	802	685	6,987	9,042	10,022	7,687	2,335	11,377	4,174,367	0.9
	Total	51,057	43,272	7,785	37,026	6,667	4,163	3,638	3,842	34,726	42,511	40,490	29,924	10,566	53,077		
2005	1	11,239	10,184	1,055	10,505	1,156	1,582	790	659	10,800	11,855	9,761	8,118	1,643	13,498	4,183,527	0.9
2005	2	17,172	14,446	2,726	12,167	1,345	584	845	1,210	11,771	14,497	10,455	7,305	3,150	17,647	4,196,788	1.0
2005	3	16,631	13,459	3,172	12,450	2,483	2,901	1,119	1,665	13,414	16,586	10,745	7,111	3,634	20,220	4,212,574	1.1
2005	4	8,948	8,589	259	9,653	1,360	– 499	816	647	7,625	7,884	9,866	7,701	2,165	10,049	4,218,189	1.0
	Total	53,990	46,778	7,212	44,775	6,344	4,568	3,570	4,181	43,610	50,822	40,827	30,235	10,592	61,414		
2006	1	12,294	10,411	1,883	10,270	1,337	1,733	810	696	10,552	12,435	9,858	8,054	1,804	14,239	4,228,090	1.1
2006	2	15,223	11,737	3,486	11,473	1,513	641	858	1,152	10,895	14,381	10,723	7,445	3,278	17,659	4,243,580	1.1
2006	3	19,163	15,244	3,919	11,021	2,709	2,790	1,115	2,202	12,189	16,108	10,951	7,263	3,688	19,796	4,263,376	1.2
2006	4	12,150	8,639	3,511	9,321	1,503	– 1,729	820	611	5,880	9,391	10,197	7,926	2,271	11,662	4,275,038	1.3
	Total	58,830	46,031	12,799	42,085	7,062	3,435	3,603	4,661	39,516	52,315	41,729	30,688	11,041	63,356		
2007	1	11,705	8,467	3,238	7,972	1,345	4,543	781	626	11,015	14,253	10,108	8,177	1,931	16,184	4,291,222	1.5
2007	2	15,164	10,827	4,337	9,497	1,778	2,605	888	1,105	10,541	14,878	11,123	7,591	3,532	18,410	4,309,632	1.6
2007	3	19,576	13,449	6,127	12,208	2,839	5,004	1,136	1,548	14,785	20,912	11,577	7,563	4,014	24,926	4,334,558	1.7
2007	4	10,587	7,513	3,074	9,293	1,644	– 1,459	847	649	5,992	9,066	10,841	7,977	2,864	11,930	4,346,488	1.7
	Total	57,032	40,256	16,776	38,970	7,606	10,693	3,652	3,928	42,333	59,109	43,649	31,308	12,341	71,450		
2008	1	11,851	9,224	2,627	10,127	1,380	2,916	783	697	11,577	14,204	10,486	8,574	1,912	16,116	4,362,604	1.7
2008	2	15,382	12,567	2,815	11,592	1,607	4,930	838	1,176	15,253	18,068	11,238	7,863	3,375	21,443	4,384,047	1.7
2008	3	16,951	13,739	3,212	12,714	3,284	7,651	1,193	1,550	17,438	20,650	11,738	7,565	4,173	24,823	4,408,870	1.7
2008	4	9,479	7,284	2,195	9,569	1,863	2,298	872	652	9,784	11,979	10,814	8,095	2,719	14,698	4,423,568	1.8
	Total	53,663	42,814	10,849	44,002	8,134	17,795	3,686	4,075	54,052	64,901	44,276	32,097	12,179	77,080		
2009	1	11,143	9,672	1,471	9,244	1,378	5,656	762	699	13,459	14,930	10,683	8,204	2,479	17,409	4,440,977	1.8
2009	2	13,488	10,371	3,117	10,848	1,437	2,117	776	1,178	11,930	15,047	11,405	7,482	3,923	18,970	4,459,947	1.7
2009	3	14,579	11,543	3,036	12,116	3,345	7,138	1,210	1,550	16,249	19,285	11,897	7,622	4,275	23,560	4,483,507	1.7
2009	4	8,899	6,851	2,048	9,231	1,828	1,478	865	652	8,668	10,716	10,903	7,933	2,970	13,686	4,497,193	1.7
	Total	48,109	38,437	9,672	41,439	7,988	16,389	3,613	4,079	50,306	59,978	44,888	31,241	13,647	73,625		
2010	1	11,474	9,861	1,613	9,629	1,350	4,217	758	699	12,437	14,050	10,528	7,860	2,668	16,718	4,513,911	1.6
2010	2	14,517	12,486	2,031	12,895	1,406	– 1,558	771	1,178	10,338	12,369	11,180	7,786	3,394	15,763	4,529,674	1.6
2010	3	16,601	16,009	592	13,508	3,328	5,195	1,206	1,550	15,719	16,311	11,349	7,411	3,938	20,249	4,549,923	1.5
2010	4	11,086	10,644	442	8,153	1,841	– 7,241	868	652	– 1,145	– 703	10,614	8,092	2,522	1,819	4,551,742	1.2
	Total	53,678	49,000	4,678	44,185	7,925	613	3,603	4,079	37,349	42,027	43,671	31,149	12,522	54,549		
2011	1	12,598	12,696	– 98	7,338	1,360	1,214	759	699	7,132	7,034	10,497	8,233	2,264	9,298	4,561,040	1.0
2011	2	14,939	15,685	– 746	9,553	1,415	980	771	1,178	9,525	8,779	11,285	7,783	3,502	12,281	4,573,321	1.0
2011	3	15,981	16,704	– 723	9,523	3,349	8,613	1,206	1,550	15,131	14,408	11,731	7,426	4,305	18,713	4,592,034	0.9
2011	4	10,248	10,601	– 353	8,373	1,849	– 2,214	868	652	4,094	3,741	10,441	8,297	2,144	5,885	4,597,919	1.0
	Total	53,766	55,686	– 1,920	34,787	7,973	8,593	3,604	4,079	35,882	33,962	43,954	31,739	12,215	46,177		
2012	1	11,062	13,616	– 2,554	8,644	1,366	1,801	759	699	9,019	6,465	10,390	8,323	2,067	8,532	4,606,451	1.0
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2012	3																
2012	4																
	Total	11,062	13,616	– 2,554	8,644	1,366	1,801	759	699	9,019	6,465	10,390	8,323	2,067	8,532		

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Note: Net NPR denotes the net change in Non-Permanent Residents.
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